

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT APPLICATION EXAMINING OPERATIONS**

Appl. No. : 10/615,724
Applicant : Ron A. Peters, et al.
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AMENDMENT



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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.